SENATE BILL 1617

By Marrero

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 2, relative to administration of local education agencies.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-2-1002(a), is amended by deleting the subsection in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

(a) The city council, board of mayor and aldermen or other duly constituted governing body of any town or city in this state maintaining a separate school system is authorized and empowered to transfer the administration of the town or city school system to the county board of education of the county in which the town or city is located. The proposed transfer shall be effectuated in the manner set forth in §§ 49-2-1201 through 49-2-1208.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.